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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3722**  
Helmut FITZ : Attorney Docket No. 2004\_0121A  
Serial No. 10/766,478 : Group Art Unit 3637  
Filed January 29, 2004 : Examiner Hanh Van Tran  
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- ☐ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
- ☐ The extension fee of \$ for a month extension of time is submitted with the attached Petition for Extension of Time.
- ☒ The Appeal Fee of ☒ \$500.00 (other than Small Entity)  
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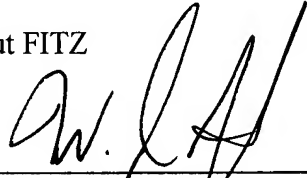
- ☐ Small entity status of this application is established by the verified statement <sup>01 FC:1401</sup> 500.00 DP under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 which
  - ☐ is enclosed.
  - ☐ has been previously submitted.

- () The Appeal Fee is not required since it was paid in a prior appeal.

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